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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : SATO  
For : METHOD OF PROVIDING...  
Dated : March 29, 2001

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claims 1-8 remain the same.

Please amend claim 9 as follows:

9. (Once Amended) A method of providing information according to claim 7, wherein said computer of a party providing information performs predetermined data analysis based on said collected answers to said questionnaire.

Please amend claim 10 as follows:

10. (Once Amended) A method of providing information according to claim 1, wherein said terminals are computers.

Please amend claim 11 as follows:

11. (Once Amended) A method of providing information according to claim 1, wherein said terminals are cellular phones.

Claim 12-14 remain the same.

Please amend claim 15 as follows:

15. (Once Amended) A system for providing information according to claim 12 wherein said computer of a party providing information is provided with seventh means for notifying said terminals of parties receiving information whether said answers to said quizzes are correct or not.

Please amend claim 16 as follows:

16. (Once Amended) A system for providing information according to claim 12, wherein

said computer of a party providing information is provided with eight means for notifying information relating to said answers to said quizzes to said terminals of parties receiving information.

Claim 17 remains the same.

Please amend claim 18 as follows:

18. (Once Amended) A system for providing information according to claim 12, wherein

said computer of a party providing information is provided with ninth means for providing quizzes and, at the same time, providing a questionnaire to said terminals of parties receiving information, and collecting answers to said questionnaires.

Claim 19 remains the same.

Please amend claim 20 as follows:

20. (Once Amended) A system for providing information according to claim 18, wherein

said computer of a party providing information is provided with tenth means for performing predetermined data analysis based on said collected answers to said questionnaire.

Please amend claim 21 as follows:

21. (Once Amended) A system for providing information according to claim 12, wherein

said terminals are computers.

Please amend claim 22 as follows:

22. (Once Amended) A system for providing information according to claim 12,  
wherein  
said terminals are cellular phones.

REMARKS

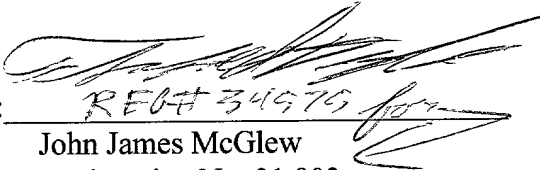
Claims 1 through 22 are in this application and are presented for consideration.

Claims 9, 10, 11, 15, 16, 18, 20, 21 and 22 have been amended in order to place this  
application in better form. No new matter has been added.

Favorable action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted  
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